

John H. Ricketson, President.

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A. Garrison Foundry Company

Proprietors,

Pittsburgh Foundry, Established 1803.

Offices Nos 10 and 12 Wood St. Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 14th 1887,S. M. Fox Esq - Supr. Muns of the U. S.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 12th inst. declaring our proposal of the 1st inst. for chilled rolls and instructing us to return the gauges for 10" rolls is at hand. It is now twenty-seven years since we began furnishing the Phila Muns with chilled rolls and we believe we have during this period made all the rolls needed for gold and silver. We have received no complaints as to quality, and in view of our long business intercourse would respectfully ask whether our offer is declined on account of quality or price. If you are offered rolls at lower figures, we are perfectly willing to lose the order, but as we are and long have been the leading chilled roll makers of the country, we naturally have a pride in not losing Govt. trade on account of the quality of our work. As to the guaranty-referred to in our previous correspondence we would say that the rolls shall be perfect in every respect. Awaiting your reply, we are, Very Respectfully yours

A. Garrison Foundry Co. John H. Ricketson Pres

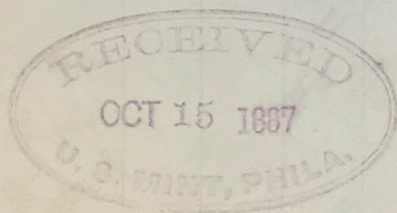
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Pittsburgh, Pa.
Oct. 14. 1887

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October 14, 1887

D.M. Fox Esq. – Supt. Mint of the U.S.
Philadelphia, Pa.

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A. Garrison Foundry Co.
John H. Ricketson, Pres.